

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: ADAMS, *et al.*

Application No.: 09/817,278

Group Art Unit: 3743

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For: MULTI-MODE LIGHTER

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please enter the following amendment into the file prior to examination thereof:

In the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, Line 3, replace "09/704,688" with --09/704,689--.


REMARKS

The specification has been amended to properly identify the Applicants' priority Application, which is identified in the executed Declaration.

Please enter this amendment prior to examination of the application. No fee is believed to be required for this response. Should any fee be required, however, please charge such fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

Respectfully submitted,

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